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East Central Junior College
Decatur, Mississippi

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Alma Mater

Dear Alma Mater we sing thy praise;

In sweet remembrance of our college days;

Comrades and teachers, friends so true;

We give our love to you;

Long may we cherish the days spent with thee;

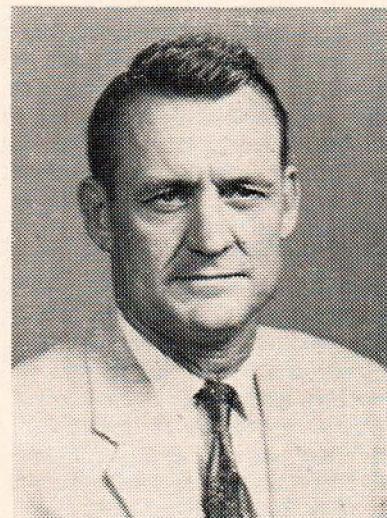
Happy days of dreams, work and play so carefree

Deep in our hearts rest your memories true,

Here's all our love to you.

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It is an honor for me to have this privilege of welcoming both the new and returning students to the 1961-62 session. It is my sincere hope that each of you will find opportunities to develop intellectually, socially and spiritually.

I anticipate a good year for each of us because of the following reasons: E. C. J. C. is blessed with a good faculty; as usual, we anticipate a good student body with great ideals; and, the facilities of the college are being improved continually. I hope that each of you will have reason to treasure this experience at East Central.

Most sincerely,
W. A. Vincent, President

PURPOSE

This handbook has been prepared for you, the students of East Central Junior College, with the purpose in mind of familiarizing you with life in your school. This book will frequently serve as your guide. We sincerely trust that you will find your place on this campus, and we extend to you a hearty welcome.

Chapter 1 — HISTORY AND TRADITIONS

East Central Junior College came into existence in 1928. It was in this year that twenty graduates of the old Newton County Agricultural High School, then operating on the site that is now the junior college, presented themselves as candidates for the freshman class of the newly instituted college. Two teachers were chosen to teach this class, and in two years the Junior College Accrediting Commission of the state granted full college credit to E. C. J. C. graduates.

The present enrollment of the junior college and vocational divisions exceeds 500 students, with a faculty and staff consisting of more than fifty members. The growth of the college has been steady since the beginning, and with the return of veterans and an increased enrollment of high school graduates an expansive building program has resulted.

The most recent additions include Todd Hall, a boys' dormitory, and Newsome Hall, a girls' dormitory. These two buildings bring college housing facilities to a total of four boys' dormitories, two girls' dormitories and three apartment build-

ings. A new auditorium with a seating capacity of more than a thousand is one of the most outstanding facilities of this type in the state. The most recently completed building is the modern Burton Library. Plans are now underway for the construction of a new science building. All these facilities contribute to the college's ability to better serve the needs of the community.

E. C. J. C. has several traditional celebrations which are eagerly looked forward to each year. Among the highlights of the fall semester is Homecoming, which features a football game and the crowning of the Homecoming Queen. Other traditional events during the year include the Spring Formal; the Freshman-Sophomore Banquet; Senior Day; and, finally, the oldest of the traditional celebrations, May Day, which is held on the campus in the late afternoon preceding the graduation exercises.

The President is the chief officer of the college administrative staff. You will find him ever ready to assist you. The Academic Dean will work with you on problems of schedule and registration. The Guidance Director, with Curriculum Advisors and other teachers, will advise you on matters of vocational guidance and educational preference. The Registrar is in charge of your records. You will need to have a transcript sent directly from your high school to her before you can be fully enrolled. She will keep your records while you are a student and will transfer them to another college when you leave and request them. She also handles the excuses for all absences from classes.

The Dean of Men and Women are counselors and directors of student activities. With them you may feel free to discuss personal problems as well as the problems of dormitory and social life. The Business Manager handles any problems relative to payment of accounts. The director of the Student Center supervises all activities scheduled in the Student Center. The Dietitian plans and supervises the preparation of foods, is in charge of all cafeteria workers and assists in other activities scheduled in the cafeteria.

Chapter II — FACULTY AND STAFF

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| Vincent, W. A. | President |
| Allen, Richard C. | Forestry |
| Avery, Virginia | Music |
| Barber, Erma Lee | Dean of Women |
| Bedwell, J. Wallace | Business Education |
| Blount, Clayton | Dean of Men and P. E. |
| Brackeen, Denver | Guidance and Coach |
| Burton, Ethel | Librarian |
| Cliburn, L. E. | Education |
| Cliburn, Mrs. L. E. | Director of B. S. U. |
| Cross, Frank M. | Chemistry |
| Cross, Mrs. Nellie N. | Mgr. Student Center |
| Ethridge, Richard C. | Social Science |
| Everett, Mrs. Jessie Mae | Business Education |
| Ezelle, James C. | Electricity |
| Fick, R. G. | Music |
| Fulgham, Rev. W. C. | Bible |
| Furgerson, L. D. | Dean and Math. |

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| Gordon, Mrs. Louella B. | Dietician |
| Griffin, B. L. | Business Mgr. |
| Griffin, Mrs. Sara | Registrar |
| Guthrie, Tommy | Biology & Coach |
| Harris, Una | English |
| Hull, Mrs. Ruth | Home Economics |
| Leatherwood, F. E. | Biology |
| Mason, George L. | Science |
| Mayes, Thomas R. | English |
| Mayo, O. B. | Auto Mechanics |
| Miller, Rev. C. I. | Bible |
| Neill, Rev. J. L. | Director of Wesley |
| Newell, L. | Industrial Education |
| Oswalt, B. J. | Director of Athletics and Coach |
| Pennington, Charles | Business Education |
| Pennington, Mrs. May | English |
| Prince, Mrs. Annie R. | Associate Dean of Women |
| Rives, Frank | Mathematics |
| Simmons, Mrs. Alyne R. | English |
| Simmons, L. B. | Social Science |
| Thomas, Dorothy | Dir. Pub. Infor. & Journalism |
| Tucker, Bradford J. | Farm Mgr. and Agri. |
| Vickers, O. S. | English |
| Wells, Gerald C. | Art |
| Wood, Lucille | Physical Education |
| Woodward, Berton L. | Social Science |

SECRETARIAL STAFF

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| Mrs. Madaline Mayes | Mrs. Mary Tucker |
| Mrs. Carol Vickers | |

MAINTENANCE STAFF

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| Barto McElheney | Henton Thornton |
| R. L. Milling | L. T. Turner |
| W. A. Spivey (Supt.) | Argus Wansley |

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The members of the faculty are always ready to assist you with both personal and academic problems. They are highly trained specialists who are dedicated to your needs. Do not hesitate to make use of their talents. From this group come your curriculum advisors, counselors, and sponsors, but every member of the group is available and has office hours to make himself more accessible to you.

Chapter III — ACADEMIC SCHEDULES

Orientation and Registration Week

MONDAY — SEPTEMBER 4 (1st day)

- 8:00 a.m. Assembly freshmen and new students
 - Introductions
 - Distribution of catalogs
 - Explanation of programs
 - Distribution of handbooks
 - Schedule for week explained
 - Collection of cards with tentative curriculum objective
 - Testing program explained
- 9:00 a.m. English Test
- 10:30 a.m. Math Test
- 1:00 p.m. Assembly of all sophomores
- 1:30 p.m. A. C. E. Psychological Test
 - Curriculum group meetings with Sophomores
- 6:00 p.m. Meeting with Dean of Men and Dean of Women

TUESDAY — SEPTEMBER 5 (2nd day)

- 7:30 a.m. Assembly of Freshmen in the Auditorium
- 8:00 a.m. Meeting with individual counselors
- 9:00 a.m. Sophomore registration in the Library
- 9:30 a.m. Curriculum group meetings (Freshmen will fill cards out in curriculum groups)
 - Note: Men students are required to fill out a card registering their car.
- 10:30 a.m. Freshmen complete personal data folders in cafeteria
- 1:00 p.m. Orientation session for freshmen in auditorium followed by obtaining teachers' signatures

WEDNESDAY — SEPTEMBER 6 (3rd day)

- 7:30 a.m. Freshman registration continued to noon
- 12:45 to 2:45 p.m. Classes meet on short schedule as follows:
 - For classes meeting three or more days a week
 - 12:45 First Period
 - 1:00 Second Period
 - 1:15 Third Period
 - 1:30 Fourth Period
 - 1:45 Fifth Period
 - 2:00 Six Period
 - 2:15 Seventh Period
 - 2:30 Eighth Period

THURSDAY and FRIDAY

Regular Schedule

Students who miss 1st class meeting should check bulletin board in classroom for instruction.

Regular Class Schedule

MONDAY — Regular classes meet

8:00... 8:55 a.m. First Period
8:55... 9:50 a.m. Second Period
9:50... 10:45 a.m. Third Period
10:45... 11:40 a.m. Fourth Period
11:40... 12:35 p.m. Fifth Period
12:35... 1:30 p.m. Sixth Period
1:30... 2:25 p.m. Seventh Period
2:25... 3:20 p.m. Eighth Period
6:00 p.m. Meeting of all men students in auditorium.
6:30 p.m. Wesley and B. S. U. Reception.

Chapter IV — SCHEDULE OF ACTIVITIES

Afternoons 3:20 p.m.

Athletics
Band and related activities
Play practice
Instrumentals
Special group meetings

Mondays 6:15 p.m.

Open for special activities including: Student Christian Association, Calendar and Activity Committee, Men's Council Student Body Association Officers, and Committees, Fellowship, B. S. U. Executive Committee meeting, meeting of all men Residential Students.

Monday 6:30 p.m. — 8:30 p.m.

National Guard

Capt. Denver Brackeen

This is a service battery in the field artillery with a complement of forty-five enlisted men and five officers.

Tuesday 9:50 a.m.

Chapel

Tuesdays 6:15 p.m.

Social functions

Movies

Wednesdays 6:15 p.m.

Church related activities

1st Tuesdays 9:50 a.m.

Club meetings:

(1) Audio-Visual (Projection) Projection room
(2) International Relations Room 48
(3) L'Esprit de Corps Little Assembly
(4) Photography Room 22
(5) Gun Club Biology Lab.

2nd Tuesdays 9:50 a.m.

Counseling and special meetings

3rd Tuesdays 9:50 a.m.

Club meetings

(1) F. B. L. A. Auditorium
(2) Home Economics Department
(3) Agriculture Department
(4) Sigma Sigma Mu Tau (Medical Service) Biology Lab.
(5) Engineer—Industrial Education Room 24
(6) Future Teachers of America Room 24
(7) Music Department
(8) E. C. J. C. Players Room 52

4th Tuesdays 9:50 a.m.

Class meetings

Thursdays 6:15 p.m.

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Called Meetings:

Upon approval of Activities Committee

Friday

Afternoons and evenings are open for social and recreational activities.

Calendar of Activities

A calendar of activities is maintained in the Office of the Dean. All activities scheduled for any organization on or off the campus must be approved by the Calendar-Activity Committee (which meets every two weeks) and placed on the calendar in order to have priority on that date. It is well to plan these activities well in advance, so that you can get the time you want on the Activities Calendar. Application should be made two weeks in advance of this activity. Social activities which women students living in the dormitory attend must have approval in advance from the Dean of Women. All activities—picnics, parties, etc.—should be held at least three weeks before the end of the semester so that no one will be overloaded with social activities at the end of the semester.

Organizations

Agriculture Club

Tuesday — Third period

Sponsor — Mr. Tucker

Purpose — To acquaint the members with opportunities in the field of agriculture. Students majoring in any field of agriculture are eligible.

Alpha Alpha Epsilon

Tuesday — Third period

Sponsor — Mr. Rives

Purpose — To promote the social and economic welfare of the engineer, to stimulate public service in the profession, to encourage and develop the efficiency of the engineer, and to promote unity in the profession. To make further study of the industrial arts opportunities to allied fields. Anyone majoring in Pre-engineering or Industrial Arts is eligible for membership.

Band

Three times a week

Sponsor — Mr. Fick

Baptist Student Union

Wednesday 6:30 p.m.

Pastor Advisor — Rev. C. I. Miller

Purpose — To encourage students to live a maximum Christian life on the campus and to be active in their churches.

Baptist Young Men's Brotherhood

Alternate Wednesday Evenings

Purpose — To help Baptist young men in understanding the program and work of the church. It also gives an opportunity for service in the church and community.

Baptist Young Women's Auxiliary

Alternate Wednesday Evenings

Purpose — To help Baptist Young Women learn more about Missions at home and around the world.

E. C. J. C. Players Club

Tuesday — Third period

Sponsor — Mr. Vickers

Purpose — To provide an opportunity for those interested in dramatics to participate in various types of plays and television programs.

Future Business Leaders of America

Tuesday — Third period

Sponsor — Mr. Bedwell

Purpose — To foster better relationship between one another and a better understanding of business principles in general. All business students are urged to join this club.

Gun Club

Two evenings per month (date to be determined at first meeting)

Sponsor — Mr. Leatherwood

Purpose — To stimulate interest in guns, their use, collecting, repair and upkeep.

Home Economics Club

Tuesday — Third period

Sponsor — Mrs. Hull

Purpose — To link the department and the home; to learn to use the tools and techniques of the profession. Any future homemaker is eligible for membership.

International Relations Club

Tuesday — Third period

Sponsor — Richard C. Ethridge

Purpose — To promote an understanding for problems of International Relations.

L'Esprit de Corps

Called meetings

Sponsor — Mr. Blount

Purpose — To provide a scholarship each year for a worthy person. All veteran students are urged to join.

M. E. N. C.

Tuesday — Third period

Sponsor — Miss Avery

Members, students interested in music education
Affiliated with the National MENC.

Men's Council

Monday nights

Sponsor — Mr. Blount

Purpose — To assist the Dean in directing the Boys' dormitories.

Phi Theta Kappa

Called meetings

Sponsor — Mrs. Simmons

Purpose — To promote scholarship, to develop character, and to cultivate fellowship among the students of both sexes.

Photography Club

Tuesday — Third period

Sponsor — Mr. Mayes

Purpose — To acquaint members with camera operation, developing and printing, and films. Anyone interested is eligible for membership.

Projection Audio-Visual Club

Sponsor — Mr. Leatherwood

Purpose — To gain proficiency in the operation and maintenance of audio-visual equipment.

Sigma Tau Sigma

Sponsor — Mr. Simmons

Purpose — To stimulate interest in social science and recognize outstanding academic work.

Student Educational Association

Tuesday — Third period

Sponsor — Mr. Cliburn

Purpose — To give the student practical experience in teacher-teacher and teacher-citizen relationships.

Sigma Sigma Mu Tau

Tuesday — Third period

Sponsor — Mr. Leatherwood

Purpose — To present programs on vocational opportunities, conduct tours of surrounding hospitals and obtain informative bulletins from schools that would be of interest to the pre-med student.

Student Body Association

Thursday evenings 7:00 p.m., on call

Sponsor — Mr. Brackeen

President — Glen Majure

Purpose — (See constitution in this handbook)

Student Christian Association

Meeting time to be announced

Sponsors — Directors of Religious Organizations
Membership, executive committees of religious organizations.

Purpose — To promote and coordinate religious activities on the campus.

Wesley Foundation

Wednesdays — 6:15 p.m.

Director — Rev. J. L. Neill

Pastor — Rev. William Fulgham

Purpose — To form a fellowship of students who are seeking to become more christianlike in all human attitudes such as one's own personality, other personalities, the material things of this universe, and to God.

Westminster Fellowship

Wednesday — 6:15 p.m.

Purpose — To offer fellowship and worship to the Presbyterian students on the campus.

Women Student Organization

Monday nights, 10:00 p.m.

Sponsors — Miss Barber and Mrs. Prince

Purpose — To assist Deans of Women in directing the girls' dormitories.

PUBLICATIONS

TOM TOM

Thursday — 6:15 p.m.

Tom-Tom Office

Editor — Linda Gatewood

The Tom-Tom is the official campus newspaper, published semi-monthly. Staff members get experience in business as well as journalism. Any interested in journalism should see the sponsors or editor.

WO-HE-LO

Thursdays — 6:15 p.m.

Annual room

Editor — Nan Harbour and Alice Robinson

The Wo-He-Lo is the pictorial record of school life on the campus each year. It is compiled and edited by the student body and sponsored by the Sophomore class.

HANDBOOK

The ECJC Student Handbook is compiled and published annually by the Student Body Association to provide useful information for the student at East Central Junior College.

ATHLETICS

The Warriors compete with other junior colleges in football, basketball, baseball and tennis. The Warriorettes compete in basketball and tennis. All athletes abide by the rules and regulations set forth by the Junior College Association. Students are invited to try out for any of the above sports. Practice for each of these sports is from 3:20 to 5:30 p.m.

To boost school spirit and to foster wholesome rivalry among students on the campus, an intramural program of basketball, softball, volleyball and other sports is provided, primarily for those students not participating in intercollegiate sports.

Chapter V — POLICIES GOVERNING STUDENT LIFE

General

Every student at East Central is expected to conduct himself as a gentleman or herself as a lady.

Since it is necessary to observe certain regular ways of doing things in order to avoid confusion and to promote a wholesome environment, we have some established policies and an organization to assist people when they have problems. In rare cases people do appear before the discipline committee, the object of which is not punishment but assistance and friendly help. If students show themselves undesirable they may be asked to withdraw for the best interest of the school and himself. Drinking, gambling, cheating and stealing are some of the causes for dismissal from school.

Students and faculty are requested not to smoke in the classroom buildings and Cafeteria. No great point will be made of it, but this is requested as a method of fire prevention and for the sake of the appearance of the buildings.

Students living on the campus will be held responsible for the care of his or her room and the furniture and must pay for any damage done. Students do not sweep trash into the halls, drive nails or tacks in the wall, or in any way damage or deface the rooms or furniture. Furniture is inventoried in the rooms and must not be moved from or into the room without permission of the Dean of Women or the Dean of Men.

Electrical appliances such as hot plates, shavers, clippers, TV, radios, etc., may be used in the dormitories with permission from the respective Deans. Electric shavers and clippers are to be used only from 6:30 a.m. to 9:00 a.m. Since careless use of hot plates and irons causes a fire hazard, students

are requested to use great caution in their operation. In case of fire immediately notify your Dean, or, if the Dean is not available, notify the General Office.

Soliciting or selling foods or merchandise in dormitories will be permitted only on approval of the respective Deans.

A student should notify his respective Dean at once when he becomes ill, so that he may receive the necessary medical attention and so that any absence from class may be excused by the Dean. In case of serious illness a physician will be called and parents will be notified. Students will be responsible for their medical bills.

Firearms are not permitted in dormitories.

Women Students

This year, more than ever ECJC is eager to make all women students — regular, high school and special — wherever they live an integral part of campus life. The Dean of Women and assistant Dean have the opportunity and responsibility to work with the women students, to assist them in making the best adjustment to college life and to help them to get the most out of their time in college. They are glad to help you at any time, and especially when sickness or other emergencies arise, they are the first ones you should consult.

Jackson and Newsome Halls are the centers for all women's activities, and all women students are welcomed and urged to make use of the lobbies and other facilities.

Dormitory Women

The students who live in the dormitories maintain an organization known as Women's Honor Council. The purpose of this organization is to assist the Dean of Women and her associate in operating the women's residence halls in a manner that will promote the best interest of every student and permit all to live harmoniously together.

The House Committees composed of the House President, all officers and Wing Chairmen of each dormitory, take the lead in handling minor disciplinary problems, arranging various social affairs, sponsoring religious activities in the dormitory, promoting good housekeeping, greeting visitors, and in assisting new students to become adjusted to the policies by which the women's residence halls are operated.

General Policies

Students do not spend the night out of the dormitory when they are in Decatur.

Students go to town at any time during the day until 5:00 p.m.

Smoking in the dormitory will be permitted in places provided, and for girls who have smoking permits.

Loud speakers are not to be used during study and quiet hours.

Piano, record player, and television in lobbies of Jackson Hall and Newsome Hall may be played after class hours and on Saturday and Sunday. Radios or record players may be played any time during the day provided they cannot be heard out-

side the room. Radios or record players are not to be played during study or quiet hours.

Lights in Jackson Hall will be cut off at 11:00 p.m.

Freshmen will have closed study hours from 8 to 10:30 p.m. each night.

Doors will be closed at 10:30 p.m. each night.

Lights out in Newsome Hall every night at 11 p.m. except on Friday and Saturday nights when there are campus ball games or other campuswide activities. Doors are closed at 10:30 each night.

Student Center schedule: 7:00-9:00 p.m. every night.

One dormitory will be open each week end for girls who stay on campus. Both dorms will be open when there are visitors on campus.

Girls may go and stay in Student Center after ball games until it closes.

Dress for Girls

Formal — long dress. Semi-formal — ballerina length dresses, suits with dressy blouses, and dressy dresses of cotton, linen, silk and wool.

Informal — Sports dresses, tailored suits and skirts with blouses or sweaters.

Students are expected to dress appropriately and in good taste. Slacks and Bermuda shorts are not appropriate class room attire. They may be worn for physical education classes and picnics. Pedal pushers, Bermuda shorts and slacks may be worn on the campus and in the student center after 3:30 p.m. on Friday and all day Saturday unless special visitors are expected.

Permits

Standing permits will take care of weekend trips home, college sponsored trips, and visits to friends' and relatives' homes.

Trips home during the week will be permitted only when necessary and with parents' consent.

Students may not leave the campus after 7:00 p.m. for trips. Students must return on Sunday night by 10:30 p.m. or in time for the first class on Monday.

Dating

Dating rules for Sophomores:

1. Sophomore girls may have lobby dates from 6:00 to 7:00 p.m. Monday through Thursday night.
2. Sophomore girls may single date in cars on Tuesday, Friday and Saturday nights anywhere in the five-county area.
3. Sophomore girls may ride in cars with dates any afternoon after classes until 5 p.m.

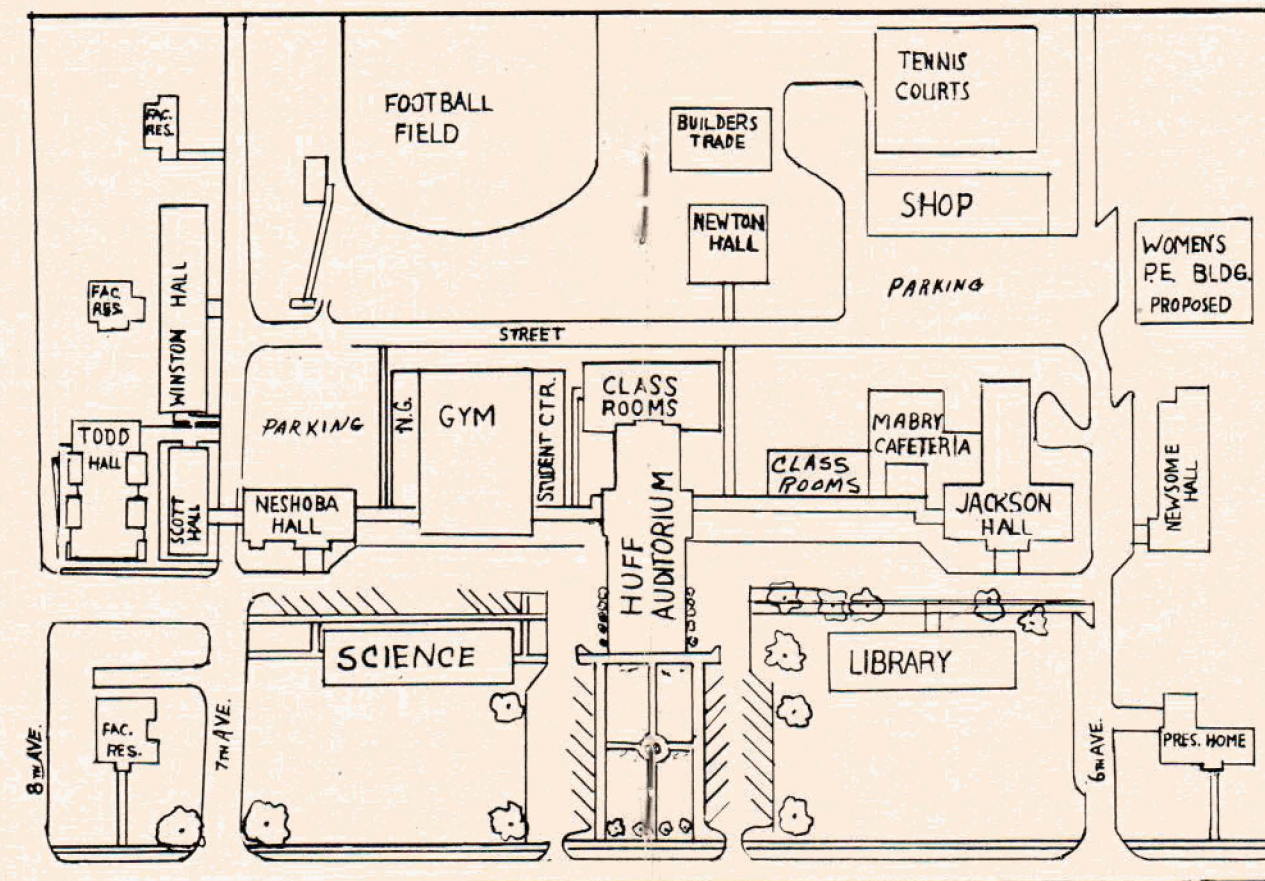
Dating rules for Freshmen:

1. Freshmen girls may have lobby dates from 6:00 to 7:00 p.m. Monday through Thursday nights.
2. Freshmen girls may single date in cars on Saturday and Sunday from 1 to 5 p.m.
3. Freshmen may single date in cars on Friday and Saturday nights until 10:30 p.m. anywhere in the five-county area.

Campus

Students may sit on the campus during class hours. After supper they may sit on the campus until 6:00 or 7:00 p.m., depending on the season.

When in doubt—ask! The Dean of Women and



Assistant Dean, the House President, and the committee members are anxious to help you to be happy at ECJC.

Penalties

Penalties for the violation of Student Government regulations shall be determined by the student council.

Penalties may be: (1) Reprimand—written warning from the Council. Accumulation of four reprimands will give a campusment.

(2) Social restriction—Loss of all social privileges on and off the campus. (3) Campusment—penalty which prohibits for a stated length of time a student from leaving the campus except for church, and from all social privileges. Campus activities may be attended without dates. Breaking a campusment is double punishment. If a campusment is broken a second time, the student shall be sent to the faculty discipline committee and dealt with as a special case.

Violation of Student Government Regulations:

1. Failure to sign in 1 time— $\frac{1}{4}$ reprimand.
2. Failure to sign out 1 time— $\frac{1}{4}$ reprimand.
3. Returning from home after 10:30 p.m.—1 week social restriction.
4. Breaking permit regulation—1 week social restriction.
5. Being out of room after lights out—1 reprimand.
6. Being out of room during quiet hours or closed study hours which includes undue noise between 8 and 10:30 p.m.—1 reprimand.
7. Breaking Civic League regulations (a room with 100 points, off in 6 weeks)—1 reprimand.

8. Breaking smoking regulations (in rooms in Jackson Hall and without permit in Newsome Hall)—1 week campusment.
9. Breaking movie regulations (go to movies on Tuesday, Friday and Saturday nights, Saturday and Sunday matinee)—1 reprimand.
10. Spending the night in Decatur—1 week campusment.
11. Breaking riding regulations—2 weeks campusment.
(If broken the second time, the loss of riding privileges.)
12. Being on the campus after hours—1 week campusment.

MEN'S COUNCIL

Constitution

Name—the name of the organization will be Men's Council of East Central Junior College.

Purpose—The purpose of the council will be to promote good citizenship on the campus by making every man responsible for the behavior of male students in all aspects of campus life.

Meetings—There will be one regular meeting of the council each month. The executive committee will meet each week and will have the power to call council meetings as needed.

Membership—The membership of the council will consist of all regularly enrolled male students of this institution.

Officers—The executive committee will consist of one representative from each floor of each residence hall or one representative for each twenty-

five (25) male students, or fractional part thereof, whichever is larger. Each floor will elect its own representative (s). In addition, male non-resident students may elect one representative for each twenty-five (25) enrolled. Non-resident students will elect their own representative and may vote for as many as they are authorized to elect. The executive committee will elect its own officers as follows: president, vice-president and secretary-treasurer.

Adviser—The faculty counselor will be appointed by the president of the college. He will have no vote at executive council meetings.

Amendments—Amendments to this constitution or by-laws must be approved by the executive committee and on presentation to the council receive two-thirds (2/3) of the votes cast.

BY-LAWS

Officers and Committees

DUTIES OF OFFICERS—The executive committee will authorize its president to call and preside over all meetings of the executive committee and council, and with the advice and consent of the executive committee, make committee appointments.

The vice-president will assume the duties of president of the executive committee in the president's absence.

The faculty counselor will be privileged to attend all meetings.

The secretary-treasurer will keep a record of all council and executive committee meetings and will have charge of all finances, keeping accurate records available at all times.

It will be the responsibility of the executive committee to conduct all elections sponsored by the council. Open house events will be the responsibility of the executive committee. The committee will have the responsibility for enforcing compliance with accepted citizenship practices and for enforcing all rules and regulations adopted by the Men's Council.

A three-fourths ($\frac{3}{4}$) vote of the executive committee will be required for expulsion from school. Any student will have the right to appeal his case to the faculty discipline committee.

ELIGIBILITY OF OFFICERS—To be eligible for election to the executive committee a nominee must have maintained a grade average of C in this institution during the last semester preceding the election.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS—The executive committee will be elected during the first week of school for the period of one regular session. The executive committee for a summer session will be elected during the first week of the session for the period of the summer session. At the beginning of each regular session and summer session all previous members of the executive committee will serve until elections can be held.

VACANCIES—All vacancies on the executive committee will be filled by an election under the supervision of the executive committee.

QUORUM—A quorum of the meetings of the executive committee and the council will be a majority of the membership.

Rules and Regulations:

Study hours will be maintained in all the men's dormitories from 8:00 p.m. until bedtime each night. Anyone refusing to keep these hours will be asked to go before the men's council.

Persistent violators will be referred to the discipline committee.

There will be no drinking or gambling on the campus. Anyone caught will be dismissed from school.

There will be no fast driving on the campus:

First offense—One week restriction of car.

Second offense—Two weeks restriction of car.

Third offense—Your car will not be allowed on campus.

All male dormitory students must attend the Men's Council meeting scheduled on board-due days. The roll will be checked, and those missing two meetings will be required to go before the Men's Council.

No trash will be swept into the halls.

No furnishings of the rooms will be removed or destroyed.

Obscene behavior and vulgarity will not be permitted on the campus.

Dress for Boys

Semi-formal—dress suits or sport jackets.

Informal—sport jackets and trousers or sport shirts and trousers.

Everyone dresses for dinner on Sunday. It is good taste for boys and girls to dress semi-formally on Sunday.

Board

When you pay your board at the beginning of the month, you pay for lights, water, and heat in the dormitory; for all replacements and repairs to furniture and equipment in the dormitories; janitorial service in the dormitories; for knives, spoons, forks, etc., in the cafeteria; for all labor required for the preparation and serving of food; and for any rental on the rooms.

Whatever is left from the board bill goes into buying food. If every student will be economical, turn out light when leaving room, cut off the heat when it is not needed, and take care of the property, more food per board dollar can be put on the table.

The cafeteria is adjacent to the Commercial Building. Meals are served as follows on week-days:

Breakfast 6:45-7:15

Lunch 11:45-12:45

Supper 5:15-5:45

On weekends:

Breakfast 7:00-7:30

Lunch 11:45-12:15

Supper 5:00-5:30

Meal tickets, which must be presented at each meal to be punched, are issued at the beginning of school and at the first of each month on payment of board.

Room and Board is payable on Monday and Tuesday of every fourth week. If not paid on the appropriate days, a \$1.00 administrative cost charge is assessed the student for later payment.

It is the custom of the student body for the boys

and girls to line up in separate lines and enter the cafeteria alternately, a girl and then a boy. Alternation begins at the outside door except in cases of very bad weather. It is also the custom not to break line.

Chapter VI — ACADEMIC POLICIES

Freshman: One who has completed at least fifteen units of high school work and is carrying college subjects.

Sophomore: One who has completed twenty-seven or more semester hours of college work.

Special student: One who is enrolled for less than 12 semester hours.

Vocational Technical: Any student, regardless of his academic level, who is enrolled in any one of the full time vocational courses offered by the school.

Grades

Grades are turned in and recorded for every student at six-week intervals. Each freshman will have some faculty member assigned as his counselor, to whom he shall go to receive his grades at the Registrar's office. An official copy of your grades is also mailed to your parents or guardian every six weeks and at the end of each semester.

The grading system is as follows:

A — 92 - 100 Excellent.

B — 83 - 91 Good.

C — 74 - 82 Average

D — 65 - 73 Poor.

E — 60 - 64 Conditioned. (Not to be used as a semester grade.)

F — Below 65 (Failure).

WP — Withdrawal passing (with C average or better).

WF — Withdrawal failure.

Further information on grades and grading can be had by consulting the college catalogue.

Student Absences from Class

Absences from class are one of three kinds: unexcused, excused and official.

Unless permission has been granted by the proper administrative officer before the absence occurs, the only excused absence is absence due to sickness on the part of the student himself, or sickness or death in the immediate family, and then only if the student's presence at home is necessary. Such absences will be excused only upon receipt of a written statement direct from the Dean of Men, Dean of Women, a doctor, or the student's parents.

Official absences are those incurred while the student is away representing the school in some official capacity.

All other absences are unexcused.

If the student has as many unexcused absences in a semester as the course meets per week the grade will be reduced one letter.

If the student takes more unexcused absences in a semester than the course meets per week, he automatically receives an F on the course.

Students who miss a test or examination with an unexcused absence do not have the privilege of a retest and receive a zero on the test or examination.

A student is responsible for all work missed regardless of why he is absent.

When a student has accumulated absences totaling twenty per cent of the times a course meets during a semester, he is automatically dropped from that class with a grade of F. Upon accumulation of two such grades the student will be notified to withdraw from school. He may have his case reviewed by making application to the Registrar.

Absence of Instructor

When an instructor cannot meet his class the class will be notified if at all possible. However, it is the student's responsibility to remain in the class room until the end of the period unless officially notified to the contrary.

Assembly

An assembly on the first and third Tuesday at 9:50 a.m. is a regular part of the school program and students are required to attend. Seats are assigned at the time of registration and attendance is checked. Students who miss assembly are subject to suspension from school. Announcements and programs of interest and value are presented at these periods.

Chapter VII — MISCELLANEOUS

Mail and Telephone Calls

Your mail will be addressed to you at East Central Junior College, Decatur, Mississippi. All boarding students will be assigned a box in the post office which is located in the Student Center. All telephone calls should be received either in Jackson Hall, MErcury 5-9461, Newsome Hall, MErcury 5-9491, Dean of Men's office, MErcury 5-2575, or the Student Center, MErcury 5-9431.

Student Center

The student center which adjoins the gymnas-

ium, includes such facilities as: a snack bar, book store, offices for the Student Body Association, Tom-Tom office, Wo-He-Lo office, Wesley Room, Baptist Student Union, and an assembly room for small groups. Snack Bar hours are: Weekdays: 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m., 7:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m.; Saturdays: 8:30 a.m.-11:30 a.m.; Saturday and Sunday: 7:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m. Closed for assembly on Tuesday, Third periods and Student Activity Periods. Student Center lights are blinked five minutes before closing. Since there is no table service, please return bottles and dishes to the counter.

Gymnasium

The gym is the center of the recreational activities of the campus. It is there that you play ball, dance and have parties. There is a great deal of recreational equipment, belonging to the Physical Education Department and Athletic Department, which is available for general use under supervision.

Library

Hours 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.; 7:30 to 9:55 p.m. Saturday, 8:00 to 11:30 a.m.

Book Store

A book store is operated by the College located in the Student Center where textbooks and school supplies may be conveniently purchased by the students.

Churches

Two churches, Methodist and Baptist, are located in Decatur, both of which are situated adjacent to the college campus. Students are welcomed and encouraged to take part in the religious life of the community as well as that of the college.

Self-Help Jobs

The college awards part time jobs to a great many students who need financial assistance in order for them to attend school. Applications may be made to the business manager.

Cleaning and Laundry

Local pressing shops provide daily pick-up service for cleaning and laundry.

Coke Machines

Several Coke machines have been placed on the campus for the convenience of the student body. Your cooperation in returning bottles to the empty cases helps keep your campus attractive and safe.

Lost and Found

Any articles found should be turned over to the Dean's office and any losses reported to it. These are listed on the daily bulletin and can be called for at this office.

Daily Bulletin

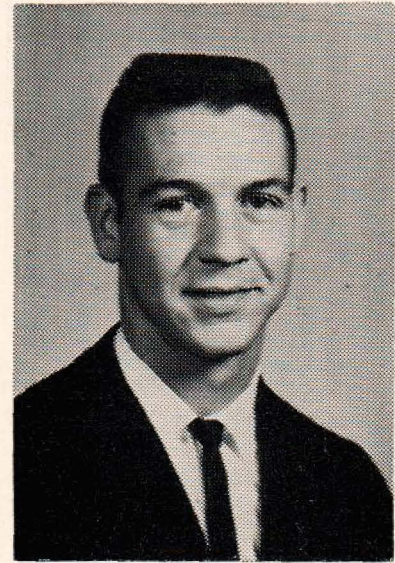
A daily bulletin is posted to keep students informed in regard to important events and activities occurring on the campus.

Campus Advertising

Approval for signs, posters and advertisements which are to be placed on the campus or on the bulletin boards should be secured in the office of the Dean.

Catalogue

You will find much important information in your college catalogue. Save your copy for reference. If you have not secured a copy, one may be had at the Registrar's office.



GLEN MAJURE

President of 1961-62 Student Body Association

APPENDIX
CONSTITUTION OF THE STUDENT BODY
ASSOCIATION
of
EAST CENTRAL JUNIOR COLLEGE

PREAMBLE

We, the students of East Central Junior College, in cooperation with the faculty and administration, and within those limits prescribed by the Board of Trustees adopt the following constitution:

ARTICLE I — Name

The name of this organization shall be the Student Body Association of East Central Junior College.

ARTICLE II — Purpose

The purpose of the Association shall be:

1. To conduct and promote interest in certain student elections.
2. To promote order and suitable conditions for the intellectual.
3. To maintain the cordial relations between faculty and the students.
4. To promote the responsibilities of hospitality on our campus.
5. To promote the awareness of rights and responsibilities as citizens of a democratic society.

ARTICLE III — Meetings

1. There will be two regular executive council meetings each month. Other meetings shall be held

on call of the president or by request of the Council.

2. The executive council shall have power to call a student body meeting when the need arises.

ARTICLE IV — Membership

The membership of this association shall be all who register as regular enrolled students of East Central Junior College.

ARTICLE V — Officers

Section I. Officers of this association shall be:

1. President
2. Vice-President
3. Secretary
4. Treasurer

Section II. There shall be an executive council of eleven people consisting of:

1. Officers of the Student Body Association
2. Two sophomore representatives
3. Two freshman representatives
4. The president of the women's student organization
5. The president of the men's student council.

Note: If and when shop students organize, they may elect one representative. Students not living in residence halls are authorized to elect one representative.

ARTICLE VI — Advisors

The faculty advisor shall be appointed by the president of the college.

ARTICLE VII — Amendments

Amendments to this constitution or by-laws may be presented by the student council or by fifty students bringing it to the council who will present it to the association. Any amendment must be ap-

proved by two-thirds of the student body and the college president before it can be adopted.

BY-LAWS

ARTICLE I — Officers and Committees

Section I — Duties of Officers and Committees:

- a. The president shall call and preside over all meetings of the student council and Student Body Association and shall appoint necessary committees.
- b. The vice-president shall take charge of all duties of the president in the absence of the president.
- c. The secretary shall keep a record of all student association meetings, lists of all officers and committees, and shall carry on the correspondence of the association.
- d. The treasurer shall have charge of all finances, keep accurate records available at all times and when authorized by the council shall disburse funds.
- e. The student council shall have the legislative powers of the association and shall propose amendments to the constitution and by-laws.
- f. The faculty advisory committee shall be invited to all council meetings.
- g. There shall be a standing committee on social activities and hospitality which shall supervise, conduct and provide social functions on the campus, shall meet and greet visitors on the campus and shall encourage a more hospitable attitude among the students.
- h. There shall be a committee on elections whose duty shall be to announce holding of campus-

wide elections, receive all nominations, check eligibility of all proposed nominees, have ballots printed, provide for proper voting facilities, count the votes, make known the results, and enforce the election regulations.

i. There shall be a committee on points which shall become a joint faculty-student committee whose duty shall be to enforce the regulations in regard to points, check on candidates' eligibility with reference to point regulations. They shall revise and maintain the point system.

j. There shall be a committee on assembly which shall become a joint student-faculty committee whose duty shall be to plan the assemblies. They shall also check attendance at chapel and report absences to the registrar.

k. There shall be a calendar committee which shall become a joint faculty-student committee whose duty shall be to approve a schedule of school activities and to exhibit the same in a public place.

l. Other committees shall be appointed by the president and approved by the Council as the need arises.

Section II — Eligibility for Office Holders:

To be eligible to hold office on the council, students must have at least a "C" average and must have no serious disciplinary action on record or pending. No student shall be eligible to run for office in the regular spring election if he or she will have earned as much as 40 hours by the end of that semester.

ARTICLE II — Election of Officers

Election of Officers of the Association shall be under the supervision of the Student Council and the Election Committee. The Council and Election Committee shall prescribe the time and manner of election of officers of the Association and Council. The officers of the Association for the succeeding year shall be elected at least six weeks before the end of the Spring semester.

ARTICLE III — Vacancies

Section 1—

If the president's office is vacated, the vice-president shall take over his office and a new vice-president shall be elected.

Section II—

If the president's and vice-president's offices are vacated, a special election shall be held to fill these positions.

ARTICLE IV — Quorum

Section 1—

A quorum of the Student Body Association shall consist of sixty per cent of its membership. A quorum of the Executive Council shall consist of six of the ten members, or sixty per cent.

Section II—

No business can take place either in the Student Council or in the Student Association meetings unless a quorum is present.

HONOR POINT SYSTEM FOR EXTRA CURRICULAR PARTICIPATION

A point system has been adopted to give recognition for participation in extra-curricular activities. There will be two levels of attainment: DISTINCTION and SPECIAL DISTINCTION. To rate special distinction a student must be among the 5 per cent who have the highest number of points and have an academic average of B. To rate distinction a student must be among the next 7 per cent who have the highest number of points and have an academic average of C. The award will come at the end of the second year of college, and will be conditioned upon good conduct and attitude.

ACTIVITY POINTS PUBLICATIONS

Tom-Tom

| | |
|-----------------|--------------|
| Editor | 0-8 pts/sem. |
| Assoc. Ed. | 0-6 pts/sem. |
| Bus. Mgr. | 0-5 pts/sem. |
| Others | 0-3 pts/sem. |

Wo-He-Lo

| | |
|----------------|--------------|
| Editor | 0-5 pts/sem. |
| Bus. Mgr. | 0-4 pts/sem. |
| Dept. Ed. | 0-4 pts/sem. |
| Others | 0-3 pts/sem. |

SPORTS

Football

| | |
|--------------------------|-----|
| Captain | 0-5 |
| Co-Captain | 0-4 |
| Members | 0-3 |
| Mgr. & Assist. Mgr. | 0-2 |

| Basketball | |
|--------------------------|-----|
| Captain | 0-5 |
| Co-Captain | 0 |
| Members | 0-3 |
| Mgr. & Assist. Mgr. | 0-2 |

| Baseball | |
|--------------------------|-----|
| Captain | 0-5 |
| Co-Captain | 0 |
| Members | 0-3 |
| Mgr. & Assist. Mgr. | 0 |

| Tennis | |
|--------------------------|-----|
| Captain | 0 |
| Co-Captain | 0 |
| Members | 0-2 |
| Mgr. & Assist. Mgr. | 0 |

| Centralettes | |
|--------------------------|----------|
| Captain | 0-5/sem. |
| Co-Captain | 0 |
| Members | 0-3/sem. |
| Mgr. & Assist. Mgr. | 0 /sem. |

| CHEERLEADERS | |
|---------------|----------|
| Captain | 0-3/sem. |
| Members | 0-2/sem. |

| BAND | |
|------------------|----------|
| Drum Major | 0-5/sem. |
| Others | 0-3/sem. |

| CHOIR | |
|---------------|----------|
| Members | 0-3/sem. |

| ENSEMBLE | |
|---------------|----------|
| Members | 0-3/sem. |

| CURRICULUM CLUBS | |
|------------------|----------|
| Presidents | 0-3/sem. |
| Members | 0-1/sem. |

See office —44—

0-2/sem

SPECIAL CLUBS

| | |
|---------------------------|--------------|
| E. C. J. C. Players | 0-5 pts/sem. |
| Photography | 0-5 pts/sem. |
| Audio-Visual | 0-2 pts/sem. |
| Others | 0-2 pts/sem. |

RELIGIOUS ORGANIZATIONS (Church affiliated)

| | |
|----------------------|----------|
| President | 0-5/sem. |
| Other officers | 0-3/sem. |
| Members | 0-2/sem. |

STUDENT BODY ASSOCIATION

| | |
|--------------------------|--------------|
| President | 0-5 pts/sem. |
| Vice President | 0-3 pts/sem. |
| Sec. & Treas. | 0-2 pts/sem. |
| Committee Chairman | 0-2 pts/sem. |
| Class Rep. | 0-2 pts/sem. |

CLASS OFFICERS

| | |
|------------------|--------------|
| Freshmen | 0-3 pts/sem. |
| Sophomore | 0-3 pts/sem. |
| Membership | 0-1 pts/sem. |

Limit of 10 points per student per semester.

Membership points do not apply to officers, captains, and editors.

ADDENDA

1. Only one of the above categories can apply to any one activity except in the case of athletic team captains, per season.

2. Honor points are to be evaluated by a joint faculty-student committee.

3. No one person shall hold more than one major office at the same time, but one person may hold one major office and one minor office, or two

minor offices. MAJOR OFFICES: Presidents, Editors and Business Managers. MINOR OFFICES: Vice-Presidents, Treasurers, Secretaries, Reporters, Cheerleaders, Chairmen of standing committees, Student Body Association officers, etc.

Mid-year summer graduates may participate. Points may be accumulated by participation in clubs that function in the summer for ten weeks. For membership in clubs that function in the summer points are to be calculated for one regular semester, or one-half the points given above.

4. If a person has illegally held two major offices at the same time, neither office will count toward honor points.

5. No more than 75 per cent of total points required for distinction or special distinction shall be earned in athletics.

6. Musical organizations (points limited to 2 Activities).

COLLEGE FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

1961-62

| | |
|--------------------------------------|-------|
| Sat., Sept. 10—Hinds | There |
| Sat., Sept. 16—Itawamba | Here |
| Sat., Sept. 23—Southwest | Here |
| Sat., Sept. 30 Northwest | There |
| Sat., Oct. 7—Copiah-Lincoln | There |
| Sat., Oct. 14—Sunflower (Homecoming) | Here |
| Sat., Oct. 21—Jones | Here |
| Sat., Oct. 28—Open | |
| Sat., Nov. 4—Perkinston | There |
| Sat., Nov. 11—Holmes | There |
| Sat., Nov. 18—East Mississippi | Here |

CALENDAR

| | |
|-------------------------|-----------------------|
| September 4 | Fall Term Begins |
| October 14 | Homecoming |
| November 23-25 | Thanksgiving Holidays |
| December 15 - January 2 | Christmas Holidays |
| January 15-19 | Final Examinations |
| January 22 | Spring Term Begins |
| March 14-16 | Spring Holidays |
| May 20 | Baccalaureate Sermon |
| May 21-25 | Final Examinations |
| May 25 | Graduation, May Day |

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BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

| | |
|-------------------------|-------|
| Nov. 30—Jones | There |
| Dec. 5—Open | |
| Dec. 8—Itawamba | Here |
| Dec. 9—Northeast | Here |
| Dec. 14—Delta | Here |
| Dec. 15—Northwest | Here |
| Jan. 5—Co-Lin | Here |
| Jan. 6—Pearl River | Here |
| Jan. 8—East Mississippi | There |
| Jan. 16—Jones | Here |
| Jan. 20—Open | |
| Jan. 23—Pearl River | There |
| Jan. 26—Itawamba | There |
| Jan. 27—Northeast | There |
| Jan. 30—Holmes | There |
| Feb. 6—East Mississippi | Here |
| Feb. 9—Delta | There |
| Feb. 10—Northwest | There |
| Feb. 13—Holmes | Here |
| Feb. 16—Co-Lin | There |

BOARD DUE DATES

| | Amount |
|-------------------------|---------|
| | Due |
| September 4, 1961 | \$62.00 |
| October 2, 1961 | 32.00 |
| October 30, 1961 | 32.00 |
| November 27, 1961 | 32.00 |
| January 8, 1962 | 32.00 |
| January 22, 1962 | 22.00 |
| February 5, 1962 | 32.00 |
| March 5, 1962 | 32.00 |
| April 3, 1962 | 32.00 |
| April 30, 1962 | 32.00 |